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MS Amendments
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This submission is in response to the Office Action mailed October 18, 2007 (“the Action”), and it is accompanied by a Petition for Extension of Time of Three Months, a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, and the requisite fees.

Amendments to the Claims are provided in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document.

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